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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Group Art Unit: 1652

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For: PROTEIN CAPABLE OF CATALYZING TRANSAMINATION  
STEREOSELECTIVELY GENE ENCODING SAID PROTEIN  
AND USE THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner  
of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Response to Restriction Requirement is in reply to the Office Action dated March 14, 2003, in the above-identified application, for which response is due on or before April 14, 2003.

The Patent Office is authorized to charge any fees necessary for the continued pendency of the above-identified application to our Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

Accordingly, please amend the above-identified application as follows.